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DEAR FRIENDS—We have been silent for several days, which brought a premature smile to the faces of our competitors. But they will know this morning that there was much brewing all the time. They will read over this list of prices and then go out and have a few disastrous rounds with the despair that will hang them closer and blacker than a shadow.

But friends—their grief will be your joy. They will be sad unto jaundice because they know you will read of the bargains that are offered here—and that will be the end of their few sales and big-profits jig.

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**600 Pairs Ladies' Dongola Button shoes in Opera and Common Sense.** Our former price has been \$3.00; we are going to sell them at \$2.00. Other dealers here can't buy them at what we are selling them for. If you don't get a pair you will regret it.

**500 Pairs Ladies' Dongola Button shoe at \$1.35; our price was \$2.25.** They will be sold at this great sale at the above price and they are dandies. Our competitors may howl at such a slaughter but we have the goods and are going to sell at prices will do it.

**300 Men's Real Congress shoes all sold and are worth \$2.00; considering the great advance in prices we are going to run them out at \$1.35.**

We have 150 Pairs Men's Calf Congress shoes hand welt and they are dandies and you can't approach them at near the price. We are going to sell at \$2.50. Just think, of a Men's hand sewed shoe being sold at such a price.

If this does not satisfy you that we **UNDERSELL** any other house in the business come to our store and see the thousand other startling evidences that rest upon the shelves. The tariff may affect small concerns but it stands out of the way for such a business as we do. Tariff or no tariff we break the record every day in the matter of getting up bargains for our patrons.

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**SMALL CROWDS.**  
The Chicago News of yesterday reports that your Uncle Dick is nettled because such small crowds turn out to hear him. He is reported as saying that where he now addresses hundreds he formerly addressed thousands. These small crowds may irritate Dick, but the observer on the outside must consider the nine hundred who stay at home and thus avoid irritation. Oglesby has irritated others in times past, and it is now their turn to irritate him. Of course they don't particularly desire to do this, but they will save themselves; and if this fact worries Dick, it is only so much the worse for him.

It is to be expected that the people will not turn out in crowds to hear Oglesby this year. When you read a report of one of his speeches you run across some statement to the effect that "he was abusive toward democrats." Is it any wonder that this style of oratory does not draw now? The trouble with Oglesby's speeches is that they are the kind that were popular years ago. There is every indication that a campaign now is not the same thing it was in the 60's and 70's.

For instance, you go into Tuscola, or any of the towns in the farming districts of Illinois, and try to throw light on the questions of the day by abusing democrats. Such talk as that might draw a crowd, if the people in the vicinity were well pleased with the course pursued by the republican party. But those farmers are not pleased, neither are the workmen who may be found in the towns. Lately they have been engaged in forming all sorts of organizations to defend themselves against the trend of legislation pursued by the dominant party.

Mr. Oglesby steps into such a community a message that most of the democrats are unwhipped rascals. The people know before his coming that such will be his message. During the months past they have been engaged in passing resolutions that show they regard themselves as victims of what Oglesby is pleased to call republican virtue. They remember that Oglesby is a rabid member of this party that has been oppressing them. They have charged Mr. Oglesby's party with discrimination against their interests. Naturally they don't care to hear him defend that party's action by declaring that somebody else is also a great rascal. The plea is not a good one; there is no sense or logic in it. And it might also be remarked that there is no truth in it.

But, above all, the people whom Oglesby would address on the questions of a generation ago have been studying the questions of to-day. Some of them have not finished this study; and all are willing to put themselves to some trouble to hear a man of some ability talk on these questions. But hundreds of the people in each township have dropped the old story of the war. Oglesby insists upon talking about that; and so the smaller are his audiences; the greater becomes the certainty that the body of the people have gone on to other questions.

Gentlemen, the farming districts and the working people of Illinois have not prospered very well under republican rule. Some figures that were made public months ago showed that the farming industry of this state was conducted at a loss of \$10,000,000 for the year 1889. If we remember correctly, the figures were made up by men who are republicans. At the same time another man points out that upon a small investment the copper industry of the country has paid dividends that run into tens of millions for a single year. And these figures also come from a distinguished republican and a Congressman. The copper barons go to Congress and ask for higher protection, and get it. The farmers of Illinois get nothing.

Oglesby is around among those farmers to praise the fellows who carried through that scheme, and to abuse those who opposed it. There should not be much wonder that his crowds are small. He is out of joint with the times; he has lived too

long for the glory of his fame; he made a coup d'etat 30 years ago and has fed upon that until its bones are bare. The farmers and workmen of Illinois have done more than enough in celebrating the glories of the past; they have done more than any man could ask of them in reason. They are now repairing to look after their own case.

**NOW THE AMENDMENT.**  
According to the decision of the United States District court of Kansas, the prohibitionists will find it necessary to re-enact their laws in order to shut out the original package. It will be remembered a bill was passed by congress some weeks ago to enable the states to legislate against these packages. The prohibitionists of Kansas and Iowa thought this bill would have a retroactive effect, that it amounted to legal permission to let the former statutes in those states stand. The following is a part of Judge Foster's decision, published in the papers yesterday:

"The contention of the state is that the act of congress enlarged the scope and operation of the act of the state legislature, making that which was a legitimate business one day a crime the next—not make any law of course, but against the law of the state. There is nothing in the wording of the act implying that congress assumed such a power or intended to give such effect to this enactment. The Wilson bill left it to the free and untrammelled action of the several states to determine whether they would not include within their police laws this peculiar article of commerce. Every state in the union probably has upon its statutes some notice regulating the traffic in intoxicating liquors. These statutes as a rule exempt from their operation liquors and their sale in original packages, thus indicating the general consensus that hitherto it was not recognized as among the police powers of the state to regulate or interdict among the states the traffic in imported liquors. The prohibitory law of the state of Kansas, where it touched upon the interstate commerce, was no law at all, at the time of this enactment nor since. Judge Cooley says: 'This term "unconstitutional law," as employed in American jurisprudence, is a misnomer and implies a contradiction. That enactment which is opposed to the constitution being in fact no law at all.'

This means that the original package houses will do business in Iowa and Kansas until a meeting of the legislatures is called and the prohibition laws are again passed. There is no law in those states against dealing in original packages. This will make the political fight in Iowa on the liquor question line. There has been a large crowd in Kansas that demanded a resubmission of the prohibitory amendment to the constitution.

Now, a pretty nice question comes up. If the law that followed that amendment was unconstitutional, "null and void," is not the amendment itself of exactly the same worthless status? A state has no greater power in the matter of making a constitution than in making a statute. If Kansas has heretofore been unable to forbid the sale of original packages by statute, it would seem that the state could not do the same thing by constitutional amendment.

This is a question that will be of a good deal of interest to prohibitionists, for it may make all the difference imaginable in practical results whether the constitutional amendment in Kansas shall stand or not.

When our friend Millikin asks you to vote for him as a personal favor, ask him if he will reciprocate by voting for Gen. Palmer. If he will not agree to this, then he is evidently out for the pudding, and be willing that you should have the string to chew.

Our friend, Jason Rogers, can be noticed in close consultation with Mr. Millikin for three or four hours each day. Unless the whippers-in of the democratic party get to work, there is some likelihood that we will lose Jason's vote.

Those who believe that taxation should be limited to the needs of the government and that the people have sense and honesty enough to choose a U. S. Senator, will vote for the democratic candidates on the legislative ticket.

It is said that Mr. Millikin, in pressing his request for a vote on personal friendship grounds, goes so far with some farmers as to say that he is a half brother of Manecke's.

D. A. MAYFIT has one advantage in the race he is making. He will find the fourth of November cold enough to enable him to start putting up ice on the morning of the fifth.

Rowell's idea of a "free ballot and fair count" is to let the people vote after passing through a double line of soldiers, and then have the republicans do the counting.

There are a great many inquiries every day, asking if Harve Mahannah has settled up. How is this?

Atwood.  
W. E. Codington has returned home from Ohio.

Dr. Abrams reports a fine girl at Alfred Drew's.

The K. M. B. A. is said to number 1600 in Monticou county.

A. Rose and wife started to Ohio Tuesday to visit relatives.

Lizzie Garrett of Decatur has been visiting friends at this place.

Hartley & Tomlinson, the photographers, left Monday for Bement.

Miss Nora Leachman has been visiting friends in town this week.

Rev. Webster, the presiding elder, preached here Sunday night.

Rev. Dake, the grand mogul of the Pentecosters, was in town Wednesday last.

The silver medal contest will take place at the East Side church Saturday night Oct. 25.

Miss Clara Parish, the district organizer of the Y. W. C. T. U., will give a lecture at the M. E. church Friday night.

**SYRUP OF FIGS**  
  
**ONE ENJOYS**

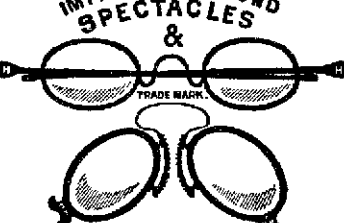
Both the method and results when Syrup of Figs is taken; it is pleasant and refreshing to the taste, and acts gently yet promptly on the Kidneys, Liver and Bowels, cleanses the system effectually, dispels colds, headaches and fevers and cures habitual constipation. Syrup of Figs is the only remedy of its kind ever produced, pleasing to the taste and acceptable to the stomach, prompt in its action and truly beneficial in its effects, prepared only from the most healthy and agreeable substances, its many excellent qualities commend it to all and have made it the most popular remedy known.

Syrup of Figs is for sale in 50c and \$1 bottles by all leading druggists. Any reliable druggist who may not have it on hand will procure it promptly for any one who wishes to try it. Do not accept any substitute.

**CALIFORNIA FIG SYRUP CO.**  
SAN FRANCISCO, CAL.  
LOUISVILLE, KY. NEW YORK, N.Y.

**TO MUSICIANS**

Musicians are particular liable to throat troubles. In fact, it is the one enemy whose painful presence they most fear. A slight cold soon attacks the bronchial tubes, the air passages to the lungs become inflamed, and then the unfortunate is either obliged to desist or if he attempts to sing or play, he does so at the risk of damaging himself irreparable in the future. To all such Reid's German Cough and Kidney Cure is invaluable. It contains no opiate, so that it does not deaden the organs, and there is no fear from an overdose. People suffering from a painful cold have taken a whole bottle full in a few minutes, not only with no deleterious effect but with absolutely beneficial results. Mr. Lem H. Wiley, the popular manager of the Grand Opera House and of Sylvan Park in Peoria, is as well qualified to judge of the merits of a medicine for the lungs and throat as any one. He says, "Reid's German Cough and Kidney Cure is the best thing I ever tried. It will cure a cold or any difficulty with the lungs quicker than any other remedy I ever saw, and it leaves the person in better condition. I would not be without it." His testimony of Mr. Wiley's is supported by thousands of singers, actors, players and musicians everywhere who have had an opportunity to try it. It relieves temporary hoarseness at once, clears the throat and enables the singer to perform his part without trouble. **SYLVAN REMEDY CO., 107 Main St., Peoria Ill.**

**H. HIRSCHBERG'S**  
IMPROVED DIAMOND  
SPECTACLES  
&  
  
**EYEGLASSES.**  
PAT. JULY 12 1879.

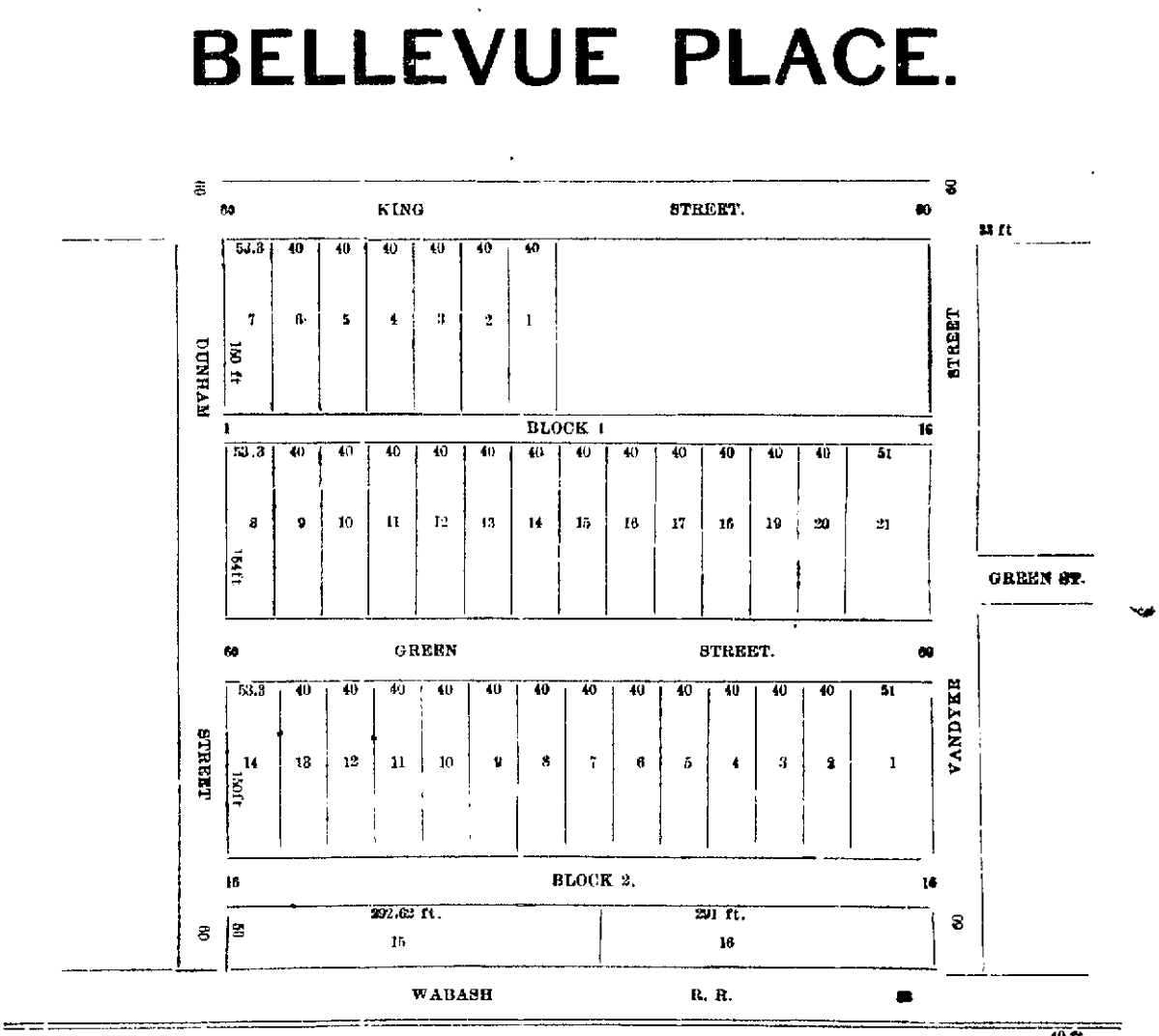
The well-known Optician of 629 Olive St., [N. E. Cor. 7th & Olive] St. Louis, has appointed Dr. A. J. Stoner, of Decatur, Ill., as agent for his celebrated Diamond Spectacles and Eyeglasses, and also for his Diamond Non-Changeable Spectacles and Eyeglasses. These Glasses are the greatest invention ever made in Spectacles. By a proper construction of the Lens a person purchasing a pair of these Non-Changeable Glasses never has to change these Glasses from the eyes, and every pair purchased are guaranteed, so that if they ever leave the eyes [no matter how rusted or scratched the Lenses are] they will furnish the party with a new pair of Glasses free of charge. He has a full assortment and invites all who wish to satisfy themselves of the great superiority of these Glasses over any and all others now in use, to call and examine the same at his drug store, south side Park.

**LOOK : AT : OUR : MAMMOLH : STOCK.**  
**THE LARGEST**  
**SELECTION OF DESIRABLE MERCHANDISE**  
We have ever been able to show. Complete in every Department for Man, Boy or Child. Our Fall Styles of new Tailor Made perfect fitting suits in Black, Cheviots in Cutaways, Double and Single Breasted Sack Suits, Fine Clay Worsted Dress Suits.  
**BIG ASSORTMENT**

Of Boy's Knee and Long Separate pants Dress and School. See our new Styles of Guyers' Stiff Hats at \$3 50. All the new prevailing blocks. Every hat guaranteed correct styles.

**NOVELTIES IN BOY'S CAPS AND HATS.**

**Ottenheimer & Co.**  
Decatur's Leading One-Price Clothiers.



Bellevue Place was advertised in THE REVIEW of last Sunday, and we are glad that its advantages were thus called to the attention of so many people who want a place to build a home. A great many lots have been sold in this addition during the last week, and in each case they were sold to men who will make you good neighbors. Many people go out every day to take a look at these lots, and they are always charmed, as well they should be. All the lots are on high ground, in fact there is not a low lot in the entire addition. The property is well drained, and is so situated that there can never be any trouble on this score. These lots are situated about 600 feet North of Millikin's Place, and they all command a splendid view of the entire city.

Notwithstanding the fact that so many lots have been sold this last week, we are still able to offer you some of the choicest. The street cars will run within two blocks of this addition early next spring. For any further information you may want about these lots, call upon us at our office and we will be glad to give you any information, and also take you out in a carriage to look at the property. You have here such a chance to get a site for a nice home as will not be offered to you again for a long time to come.

**PRITCHETT & WALMSLEY**  
154 EAST MAIN STREET, DECATUR.

**Administrator's Notice**

Estate of William Brennan, deceased. The undersigned, having been appointed administrator of the estate of William Brennan, late of the County of Macon and State of Illinois, deceased, hereby gives notice that she will appear before the county court of Macon county, at the court house in Decatur, at the December term, on the first Monday in December next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned. Dated this 20th day of September, 1890. **VILINDA F. BRENNAN,** Administrator.

**BICYCLE HEADQUARTERS**

Library Block, No. 110 and 114 East William Street.  
We have been and continue to sell our low grade wheels at cost, namely as follows:  
**THE CHICAGO OR RUSH**.....\$72 75  
**COURIER OR CRESCENT**.....55 50  
.....45 50  
**GIPSY OR JUNO**.....45 50  
**BOYS' WANDERER OR JUNIOR**.....21 50  
**GIRL'S CRICKET OR JUNIOR**.....21 50  
**LITTLE JEWEL OR PET**.....15 00  
.....7 00  
We don't do any other than first class repair work in our shops. Telephone 446 for messenger service, 10 cents inside city limits.



JOHN G. CLOYD,  
GROCER,  
144 E. Main, - Decatur.  
Telephone 38.

AHRENS & DAMROW  
PROPRIETORS OF NEW BRAND.  
A. & D.  
EXPORT  
BOTTLED BEER.  
Brewed especially for our family trade and  
at a price in reach of all partakers of good  
beer.  
PRICE LIST:  
A. & D. Export, Quarts, per doz. \$1.00  
A. & D. Pints, " " .75  
Decatur Brew Co's Vacuum qts per doz. .85  
Milwaukee qts. per doz. 1.25  
Budweiser qts. per doz. 1.45  
The old reliable Kuny Bottling works  
AHRENS & DAMROW, PROP'RS.  
TELEPHONE NO. 142.

MORNING REVIEW

SUNDAY, OCTOBER, 19, 1890.

SOCIETY MEETINGS.

MASONIC—Special communication of Ionia  
lodge No. 322 A. F. and A. Masons tomorrow  
(Monday) evening at 7:30 sharp for work  
in the second degree. Theo Coleman, W. M.  
Robt Phillips secy.

MATTERS OF FACT.

Aunt Dinah's Husking Bee.  
For upholstering and upholstering goods,  
go to Meyer's furniture store.  
All kinds of millinery and hair goods at  
Miss Williams, South Park street.  
All trunks bought from the Decatur  
Trunk and Box Company are warranted to  
be the best for the money.  
Linn & Scruggs are sole agents for the  
"Celebrated," "Centemeri" kid gloves. See  
advertisement.

1,000 mounted shades in plain and with  
rich dado, at 23c and 25c, at Linn &  
Scruggs.

The best line of valises and traveling  
bags in the state at the Decatur Trunk and  
Box Company, Water and William streets.  
If you want the best flour in the city, use  
the White Foam and White Bread. Manu-  
factured by the Hatfield Milling company.  
Headquarters for window shades; 1,000  
full complete mounted shades, plain and  
with dado, 23c and 25c, at Linn & Scruggs.

Nicely screened lump and nut coal for  
cooking and all domestic purposes. Terms  
strictly cash. E. L. Martin, No. 628 North  
Main street. Telephone No. 433.

If you want a good trunk—one that will  
stand the knocks—buy it of the Decatur  
Trunk and Box Company, Water and Wil-  
liam streets.

Remember always that Prescott carries  
the largest stock of music and musical in-  
struments to be found in Decatur. This is  
the kind of house for you to deal with.

We guarantee our Rice Coil Spring Ve-  
hicles to be the easiest riding in the world.  
If after six weeks trial the Rice Coil Spring  
is not found to be the easiest riding spring  
you ever used, we will exchange for any  
other style.

THE SPENCER & LEHMAN CO.  
We want you to visit whether you buy  
or not. We will not insist upon you buying  
against your inclination or judgment,  
but we will show you the nicest line of new  
carpets, wall paper, curtains, oil cloths,  
linoleums, Chinese, Japp and Cocoa mat-  
tings that was ever brought to Decatur.  
ABEL'S CARPET STORE.

Prime Live Geese Feathers  
always on sale at Mattress Factory, Library  
block.  
W. D. CHAMBERLAIN & Co.

Confirmed.  
The favorable impression produced on  
the first appearance of the agreeable liquid  
fruit remedy Syrup of Figs a few years ago  
has been more than confirmed by the pleas-  
ant experience of all who have used it, and  
the success of the proprietors and manu-  
facturers of the California Fig Syrup com-  
pany.

Thousands of Lamps.  
Beautiful new styles hanging and table  
lamps now so cheap anyone can afford to  
buy at Wingate's Lamp Store, Merchant  
street, Central block.

Pierston.  
John Heggy moves to Tuscola in the near  
future.

Mrs. Huginberg is visiting her parents in  
Missouri.

E. E. Marshall is painting Mr. Barber's  
residence.

Rev. S. T. Reynolds preached in Ham-  
mond Wednesday night.

William Snider, our popular horse trader,  
is moving a house out on his Reed land.

Henry Hain has a bad face on him at  
present. A carbuncle on upper lip is the  
cause.

There is prospect of another wedding in  
town. An old bachelor was heard asking  
the price of feathers the other day.  
Oct. 18.

I have found out a gift for my fair. It is  
not a ring of gold, nor flowers for her hair,  
nor pearls for her white neck, but Salvation  
Oil for her sore throat. She's a singing bird.  
In all large communities persons are taking  
an increased interest in property insurance,  
and perhaps for that very reason are insur-  
ing their lives by using Dr. Bull's Cough  
Syrup, when they are first attacked with a  
cough or cold.

CIRCUIT COURT CLOSURES.

Yesterday Ends the Business Until January  
12—Entries on the Docket.

About 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon the  
work of the September term of circuit court  
was ended and Judge Vail adjourned it.  
The cases that were not finished or dis-  
missed were continued, and now there is a rest  
until next term which begins January 12.  
The dockets are just fairly well cleared, a  
good many cases being continued. The  
numerous liquor cases for selling to minors,  
to inebriates and for keeping open on Sun-  
day are all continued and are likely to be  
indefinitely so, or else dismissed very soon.  
Judge Hughes went on the bench to ex-  
plain the sentence of Harry Burrows, who  
went to the penitentiary last fall for two  
years, for stealing a banjo and overcoat,  
from Combs' restaurant. There had been  
a misunderstanding as to the length of the  
sentence, which should have been for one  
year instead of two, as he only pleaded  
guilty to one count, and the other was dis-  
missed. The judge's order will release  
Burrows from the penitentiary at once, but  
otherwise he would be kept a year more.

Mrs. Elizabeth A. Davis who had been  
indicted for keeping a house of ill-fame ap-  
peared in court and pleaded guilty to one  
count. The others were nolleed. She was  
fined \$200 and paid it.

The three cases against J. Maxey for  
forgery and larceny against Lee White, alias  
Lee Jones for grand larceny were stricken  
from the docket with leave to reinstate.

Entries on the chancery and common  
law dockets were as follows:

CHANCERY DOCKET.

C. W. Ramsberg vs. Charles F. Neblock  
et. al.; partition. Motion entered to mod-  
ify order of distribution. Continued.

Anna Hamsher et. al. vs. William Ham-  
sher et. al.; partition. Proof heard on so-  
leitor's fee, and fee fixed at \$500.

Ada F. James et. al. vs. Alfred E. White  
et. al.; partition. Exceptions to master's  
report overruled and decree of partition en-  
tered. Demurrer to cross bill overruled and  
leave to answer. Commissioners—James  
Lichtenberger, C. H. Garver and William  
Phares.

Susan Bradley et. al. vs. Henry Knoles et.  
al.; dower and partition. Dismissed by  
complainant.

William Schenck et. al. vs. Mary Brown  
et. al.; partition. Leave to amend bill and  
cause continued for service.

Mary Kipperhan vs. Adam Kipperhan;  
divorce and injunction. Continued.

Amanda V. Thompson vs. James H.  
Thompson; divorce. Evidence heard by  
court and decree entered.

James L. Hight vs. Robert H. Woodcock;  
chancery. Referred to Joseph N. Baker as  
special master to report at next term of  
court.

Mary E. Emerich vs. Franz Emerich; di-  
vorce. The complainant charged that her  
husband was guilty of repeated and extreme  
cruelty. Evidence heard by court and de-  
cree granted.

COMMON LAW DOCKET.

George Nein vs. Dionius Daniels; tres-  
pass. Dismissed as per agreement on file.  
Jeremiah Stonaker vs. Zachariah Boughn;  
assumpsit. Order for Referee Outten to re-  
port at next term.

Union Iron Works vs. Wells & Kenney;  
assumpsit. Motion by defendant for a  
new trial overruled. Appeal allowed.

Union Iron Works vs. C. and G. Cooper  
& Co.; attachment. Dismissed by plaintiff.

Henry Mahannah vs. The Wabash Rail-  
road Co. et. al.; appellant; appeal. Judg-  
ment for plaintiff for \$16 50.

In the case of Wade vs. The P. D. &  
E. road, the motion of the defendant for a  
new trial was overruled. Appeal allowed.

The Policeman's Statement.

A. M. Warren, the Blue Mound police-  
man, mentioned Friday morning, was in  
Decatur yesterday, to see a lawyer. He  
has been relieved of his position by the  
board at Blue Mound, and wants to know  
if he can not make them carry out a con-  
tract he had.

In regard to his action Thursday after-  
noon, Mr. Warren said he knew the man  
Cruse would give bond for his appearance  
when wanted, and for the full amount of  
the fines that were imposed on him. There-  
fore he did not feel that it was necessary to  
keep as strict watch with Cruse as he would  
have been likely to run away. He took  
Cruse to jail once, but didn't leave him  
there, because he would furnish bond. That  
was done Thursday night.

Sensible Horse.

It is said a mule is the only draught ani-  
mal that has sense enough to keep from  
harming itself. The gas company's horse  
has that much sense at least. Yesterday  
morning it was standing with the wagon in  
front of George Meyer's furniture store.  
The wind blew a rocking chair out on the  
horse and it started on a dead run down  
Water street. For a block it was the wildest  
kind of a runaway, but near Peddecord's  
bank the street was filled with wagons, and  
there was no passageway. Seeing that the  
badly scared horse stopped and quietly  
walked until captured by the frightened  
driver.

Music in the Schools.

The officers and teachers of the public  
schools are well satisfied so far with the  
teaching of vocal music in the public  
schools. They think they can see good  
results already. The music lesson affords  
a pleasing variety in the school work that is  
always welcomed by the children. The  
pupils are undoubtedly learning to sing and  
that will be an important addition to their  
general education. Besides that their  
voices are strengthened and health is im-  
proved.

Will Pave Aways.

Brick was being hauled yesterday to the  
alley next the postoffice. The Decatur Tile  
company has contracts to pave four alleys  
and they will go to work next week. John  
Grass and Ed Johnson came from Cham-  
paign last night to take part.

Real Estate Transfers.

David N. Moore to Sarah R. Peake, lots  
17 and 18, Bellevue Place; \$500.

Susan M. Hockaday to Patrick Sullivan,  
lot in Mt. Zion; \$2,225.

James Huffman et. al. to Polly Huffman,  
four lots in Nanticoke; \$900.

Long Creek Detectives.

The Long Creek Detectives will have  
their yearly meeting at Bois d'Arc school  
house on Monday evening, Oct. 27, at 7 p.  
m., for the transaction of such business as  
may come before them.

PEOPLE YOU KNOW.

Dr. J. C. Hall was at Macon yesterday.

Rev. Archie Ward went to Chicago last  
night.

Edward M. Starr returned from Chicago  
last night.

Mrs. S. J. Bumstead returned last night  
from a visit at Peoria.

V. E. Billings of Cerro Gordo was a vis-  
itor yesterday to Decatur.

H. C. Anthony went to Danville last  
night to see his new son.

M. H. Van Hall returned yesterday from  
a business trip to St. Louis.

Miss Judith Hill came from Springfield  
last night to spend Sunday.

Miss Josephine Stamper has returned  
from a week's visit at Chicago.

Mrs. Lewis, of Coles Station, Ill., was  
here yesterday to see Dr. H. D. Heil.

Mrs. A. Shoemaker is visiting her daugh-  
ter, Mrs. James Brooks, at Springfield.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Race returned last  
night from their trip to Chicago.

Mrs. William E. Moore and Mrs. Charles  
Laux went to Terre Haute yesterday after-  
noon.

Mrs. C. H. Cunningham will return from  
Clinton to-morrow where she has been on a  
visit.

Mrs. S. D. Murray, of St. Louis, is the  
guest of Mrs. Orchard on East Bradford  
street.

Mrs. John Gogerty has returned home  
from Litchfield, where she visited her  
daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. George Lower returned  
home yesterday afternoon, from their trip  
to Chicago.

Mrs. W. N. Zimmerman and Frank Zim-  
merman returned last night from their  
trip to Chicago.

Ed. Cook, an attorney-at-law at Green-  
ville, Ill., is in the city with his wife. They  
are guests of L. H. Shimer.

Henry Drobish will go to Nanticoke to-  
morrow where he will accept a position  
with the coal company.

Mrs. C. J. Burns, of Bloomington, re-  
turned home yesterday morning, after a visit  
with Mrs. W. F. Patterson.

Mrs. Frank Imboden is very sick at the  
home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. J.  
Roberts, on North Water street.

Ollie Foster and Scott Harris, from near  
Cushman are the guests of the family of S.  
T. Foster on North Main street.

Rev. M. M. Goodwin returned from Chi-  
cago yesterday evening. His wife re-  
mained there for a longer visit.

John Kreinhubel and wife left last night  
for Spokane Falls, Wash. They have been  
visiting her mother, Mrs. Rogers.

Mrs. George Groff and son Leslie came  
from Springfield last night to spend a few  
days with David McGinnis and family.

W. W. Adcock, of Macon, was in the  
city yesterday on his way home from Min-  
nesota, where he purchased a large farm.

Mrs. David Merrill, of Fort Davis, Tex.,  
arrived in the city yesterday. She is here  
visiting her daughter Mrs. Geo. E. Knight.

Mrs. B. Schoenle and son Joseph are ex-  
pected home to-morrow from their visit at  
Chicago and the northern part of the state.

Mrs. Sarah Rambo, of Oreeana, returned  
home yesterday after a visit with her daugh-  
ter, Mrs. J. C. Liens, on North Water  
street.

C. E. Phillips, late of the South Water  
street restaurant, has gone to Galesburg to  
take charge of Mrs. Emma Hampshire's 5  
and 10 cent store.

Visitors yesterday: George Cook, Macon;  
B. F. Burns, Dalton City; Miss Clara Jones,  
Marion; Mrs. Peter Mooney and daughter,  
Nanticoke; Mrs. P. Griffin and daughter, Dal-  
ton City; Thomas Delaney and wife, Ni-  
anticoke.

Major Conover and wife, of Tuscola, Mrs.  
Moore and Mrs. Chandler, of Bourbon, Ill.,  
relatives of Capt. and Mrs. George R. Ba-  
con, were here yesterday to attend the  
funeral of Richard Bacon.

A Party.

At their home in the southwest part of  
town, Misses Belle and Josie Keith gave a  
party on Friday evening in honor of their  
cousin, Miss Ella Neagle, of Chicago.  
Those present were: Misses Emma, Bettie  
and Anna Layton, Daisie and Stella  
Fletcher, Belle and Florence Reed, Addie  
Bartlett, Nellie Bundy, Rosa and Maudie  
Ward, Minnie Pieffer, Mrs. John Ward,  
Messrs. Will Miller, John Cornthwait, John  
Cunningham, Jud Sieber, Frank Ward,  
Chester Cox, Theron Fletcher, Will  
Knowles, Artie Martin, Henry Hall, Char-  
lie Elder. Music and games were the  
amusements of the evening.

A Runaway.

While Mrs. Heckel was trading on East  
Eldorado street yesterday afternoon her  
horse which was standing in front of  
Moran's grocery became frightened at an  
electric car and started to run. He was  
stopped by T. J. O'Brien and J. J. Moran,  
but not in time to prevent considerable  
damage to the harness and the buggy. The  
horse was supposed to be impervious to  
fright.

A Flag for the School.

Members of the G. A. R. are raising  
money for a handsome United States flag to  
be presented to the new public school build-  
ing on Warren street. When the presenta-  
tion is made there will be appropriate ex-  
ercises, with speeches, etc. The occasion  
will doubtless be productive of good results  
in stirring up patriotism in the young  
people. Most of the public school buildings  
in Decatur already have national flags.

Clothing Wanted.

The cold wind yesterday blew several  
applicants for warm clothing into the office  
of the Woman's Industrial and Charitable  
union. They seemed to be deserving poor  
people, but there wasn't anything to give  
them. The union has requested any one  
with castoff clothing to give or send word  
to the office. As yet but little has been  
given this fall.

Born.

To Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Hight, of Macon,  
on Friday, Oct. 17, a daughter.

To Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Gay, of Mattoon,  
formerly of Decatur, on Thursday, Oct. 16,  
a daughter.

No Services at St. Patrick's.

There will be no masses at St. Patrick's  
church, Oct. 19. Four masses will be said  
at the St. James Catholic church at 7, 8, 9  
and 10 o'clock.  
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